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- (a) Subject to subsection (b) of this section, a custodian may deny inspection of:
- (1) records of investigations conducted by the Attorney General, a State's Attorney, a municipal or county attorney, a police department, or a sheriff;
- (2) an investigatory file compiled for any other law enforcement, judicial, correctional, or prosecution purpose; or
- (3) records that contain intelligence information or security procedures of the Attorney General, a State's Attorney, a municipal or county attorney, a police department, a State or local correctional facility, or a sheriff.
- (b) A custodian may deny inspection by a person in interest only to the extent that the inspection would:
  - (1) interfere with a valid and proper law enforcement proceeding;
- (2) deprive another person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication;
  - (3) constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
  - (4) disclose the identity of a confidential source;
  - (5) disclose an investigative technique or procedure;
  - (6) prejudice an investigation; or
  - (7) endanger the life or physical safety of an individual.

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